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INFO AMCONSUL RIO DE JANEIRO

AMCONSUL SAO PAULO

AMCONSUL BELEM

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EMIN OTRA NS GY BR

SUBJECT: TRIP BY BUREAU OF MINES BAUXITE SPECIALIST

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1. WHILE EMBASSY WOULD WELCOME KURTZ VISIT DURING 2/17 - 3/5 TIME FRAME, BELIEVE THAT TRIP WOULD BE MORE PRODUCTIVE IF MADE IN EARLY 78, WHEN A SIGNIFICANTLY LARGER AMOUNT OF WORK ON BAUXITE EXTRACTION AND PROCESSING FACILITIES IN AMAZON REGION WILL HAVE BEEN COMPLETED (PRIMARILY AT TROMBETAS). HOWEVER, IF KURTZ STILL DESIRES TO MAKE AMAZON AREA VISIT, BELEM CONSULATE STAFF MEMBER MAY BE ABLE TO ACCOMPANY HIM DURING TRIP TO TROMBETAS OR PARAGOMINAS.

2. FYI: OUT OF A TOTAL OF SEVEN MAJOR BAUXITE DEPOSITS IDENTIFIED IN AMAZON BASIN TO DATE, ONLY TWO (PARAGOMINAS AND TROMBETAS) HAVE MOVED PAST INITIAL PLANNING/OROPPOSAL STAGE. ONLY A MINIMAL AMOUNT OF ON-SITE ACTIVITY HAS BEEN UNDERTAKEN AT PARAGOMINAS, WHILE TROMBETAS IS 10 MONTHS INTO A 36-MONTH CONSTRUCTION PERIOD. (CONSTRUCTION OF PERSONNEL FACILITIES AND DOCKS IS WELL UNDER WAY, BUT LITTLE WORK HAS BEEN COMPLETED IN ORE HANDLING AND PROCESSING AREAS PRESUMABLY OF GREATEST INTEREST
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TO KURTZ.)

3. BECAUSE OF LIMITED AIRLINE SERVICE FROM PARAMARIBO TO TROMBETAS (VIA CAYENNE, BELEM, SANTAREM AND COMPANY PLANE TO TROMBETAS), PARAMARABICO/TROMBETAS/BELEM TRIP WOULD PROBABLY REQUIRE AT LEAST ONE WEEK, WITH ABOUT 2/5 DAYS AT SITE. ALTERNATIVE WOULD BE AUTO TRIP FROM BELEM

TO PARAGOMINAS WHISH COULD BE DONE IN TWO DAYS.
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